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## Council Has Brief Meet Tues. Night

The meeting of the City Council Tuesday evening was short and sweet, 17 minutes to read the proceedings of the previous meeting and 13 minutes for the business of the meeting.

Two bids were received for new bowls for the city water pumps but no action was taken, being held over for study.

A letter was received from the Recreation Commission outlining a request from the Girl Scout Council of the city for permission to make additions to the Youth Hut.

The Commission voted approval, subject to the provision that they prepare and submit plans of the proposed additions and show evidence of adequate finances for their completion.

Mrs. P. R. Woodworth appeared in support of the petition and explained that the addition would be for the use of the Mariners and senior groups (Continued on page 6)

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## Nat'l Guard New Members Sworn In

Col. Woodford and staff conducted an inspection Monday evening of the Sierra Madre Unit of the National Guard which has been organized with two officers and 12 enlisted men. Two new members were sworn in at the meeting, Jerry McKeown and Richard Lambert.

Men between the ages of 17 and 35 may enlist with John S. Wolcott at the headquarters in the basement of the City Hall.

## Boy Victim Of Hit-Run Driver Here

David Lovejoy, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Lovejoy, 74 W. Grandview, was struck by a hit-and-run driver Thursday night of last week and is at his home slowly recovering.

He was walking home from a friend's house about 8 P. M. when he crossed the intersection at Grandview and Mountain Trail and was hit. The only identifying features about the car he could recall were seal-beam headlights, a commercial sign on the door, and the vehicle was coming from the direction of the north.

The impact threw him into the gutter where he lay until the rain brought him to. It was impossible for him to walk so he crawled back to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert L. Hill who heard a thump on the front porch. When they turned on the light they found David lying sprawled on the floor, unconscious, with his flash light and umbrella in his hand.

Dr. Nathan Jacobs was called and later X-Ray showed a broken hip and pelvis.

## '47 Christmas Decoration Is Unique and Beautiful



Heads far back, wee folks in winter scene, gaze at the wonder of a White Christmas built by the citizens of Sierra Madre from the 41-year-old Pacific Electric station. Stephen Perlof, left; Harold Rinehart, center; and Allen Perlof, right.

## C. OF C. SPONSORS UNDERTAKING

All day Sunday the city square was lively with the work of many hands which transformed the drab little electric station into a vision of quaint charm. A red fence encloses a snow covered yard with a live Christmas tree planted in the shadow of a low pitched icicle-bound roof. In the brisk breeze blowing this morning the snow

sparkled as it blew away from the heavy fall of snow on the roof making the big red chimney look even lovelier as it settled down in the white mantle. Frost is heavy on the window panes of Sierra Madre's Christmas House. The spirit of Santa Claus "Good Will to Men," abounds in the effort which made possible this lovely scene.

From early morning until late Sunday evening men and women worked. They came prepared (Continued on page 6)

## Navy Man Arrives For Christmas

Ralph H. Parkes, AOM 2nd Class, arrived by train Tuesday night and was greeted by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Parkes, 833 Canyon Crest Dr. He has been in the Navy since the start of World War II, serving on the aircraft carrier "Belleau Wood," and for the past 18 months has been stationed at Guam.

After the Christmas holidays he will return to duty until his discharge in May.

## Graduates Airliner Hostess

Mary Louise Greivillot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Prosper J. Greivillot, 168 East Sierra Madre Blvd., graduated Thursday from the McConnell Airline Hostess School, Kansas City. For four years prior to this, she was Telephone Supervisor for the F.B.I. in Los Angeles.



MARY LOUISE GREIVILLIT

Before departing for the school eight weeks ago, she was interviewed by representatives from both McConnell, and the TWA Airlines with whom she will fly. Preparation for this work consisted of first aid, airline and aircraft familiarization, meteorology, hostess procedure and a modeling course.

Thursday evening after the ceremonies, she received a three week pass for the Christmas holidays, and left by plane for Sierra Madre, arriving the following day. After her visit, she will be assigned to a flight base.

## NEW OFFICERS GARDEN CLUB

The Sierra Madre Garden Club held its annual election of officers at the Monday evening meet, Jacques Hahn succeeded F. D. R. Moote as president with Mr. Moote acting as program chairman. Vice-president is Murray Hawkins; Mrs. Marion Pendergast succeeded herself as recording secretary as well as Capt. Everett re-elected as treasurer. A new office of corresponding secretary was made with Mrs. Eva L. Graves named to fill.

The American Legion formally initiated two members at their meeting last Wednesday evening. They are William and Fred Goebel.

## Burglar Case Has Been Solved by Local Officers

They don't get away from Police Chief McMillan very often, the recent apprehension of the men who made the burglary in the Don Jackson Men's Store November 15th, confirms it. From finger prints on the back door and on the wall show case taken at the time, Chief McMillan identified one of the men arrested in Arcadia last week on a similar robbery as having been in the local store.

## Adults Plan Xmas Party At City Park

A Christmas party has been planned by the Sierra Madre Adult Recreation Association for Saturday afternoon, December 20, at the City Park. Invitations have been extended to Pasadena, Highland Park, Huntington Park, Pomona, Rosemead, Alhambra and Arcadia.

John Chambers heads the committee, and his aides are: Fred Anderson, horse shoes; Ed Chambers, shuffle board; and Ralph Steele, chef.

## S. M. Honors 25 Years Of Scouting

### COURT OF HONOR INCLUDED IN THE DINNER PROGRAM

The twenty-fifth year of Boy Scouting in Sierra Madre came to a successful conclusion with the Silver Anniversary Banquet in the Congregational Church, Tuesday evening, December 9th.

Pritchard Hall was filled to capacity by Scouts, their parents and friends. Also present were many high officials in Scouting, among whom were, King Robey, Council President, Tallman Trask, Scout Executive, and Skipper Robison, Field Executive of the Pasadena-San Gabriel Valley Council.

After the splendid dinner served Norman Nelson style, the Court of Honor was opened by Edward Davey, Advancement and Awards Chairman. Rev. Carl Smith offered the invocation.

Awards were then presented to the qualifying scouts by their respective Advancement and Awards committeemen.

Mr. Robey installed the newly elected District officers for the ensuing year, with William Kinney as president, Gordon McMillan, Vice-president, and (Continued on page 2)

### EARLY MAILING

Do your Christmas mailing early. Local greetings should be in the post office by Monday evening, December 22nd. The Post Office will be open until 4:00 P. M. on Saturday, December 13th and 20th for Christmas mailing.

An Arcadia patrol car stopped a sedan early in the morning of December 4th, suspicion being aroused by four boys occupying the front seat. The police discovered the back seat of the car filled with stolen clothing from Arcadia and Alhambra stores. Nothing was identified from the Jackson store but the juvenile in the group admitted he was in on the Sierra Madre job.

Chief McMillan apprehended his accomplices later as Raymond Gretton, 26, of 702 Valley View Ave., Monrovia (who had a pair of Don Jackson's gloves in his possession), John R. Thiele, 21, of 612 South 12th and Billy L. Long, 22, 109 E. Cypress both of Monrovia.

The complaint was filed in Monrovia charging burglary before Judge Sturgeon, Justice of the Peace, December 8th with bail set for \$1000 each. A pre-hearing was set for Friday the 12th.

Chief McMillan stated that the Arcadia and Monrovia Police and the Temple City substation of the Sheriff's office gave full co-operation in solving a difficult case.

### MAYOR REPRESENTS CITY AT TOURNAMENT BANQUET WEDNESDAY

Mayor and Mrs. J. Milton Steinberger attended the Rose Tournament Banquet at Pasadena, Wednesday evening. Plans were made for the parade and fête.

## School Bus Prospects Brighten

Charles Skutt, Supt. of City Schools, announced the school board is considering the possibility of furnishing transportation to kindergarten and 1st grade students who live in the remote sections of the city. They hope to have the plans completed and actual transportation started before the end of the 1st semester, January 23. The Board of Trustees met last evening and it is understood that letting of the bids for a bus was to be on the agenda.

Page one TEMPERATURES		
December 3rd	62°	48°
December 4th	54°	44°
December 5th	51°	42°
December 6th	53°	39°
December 7th	56°	43°
December 8th	60°	38°
December 9th	60°	38°

RAINFALL		
This season	.....	2.28
Last Season	.....	12.25

## 20 Year Service Badges Awarded To City Firemen

Twenty-year badges were awarded at the recent meeting of the Sierra Madre Fire Department to Chief of Police Gordon McMillan and City Water Superintendent Joseph T. Swanson. The presentation was made by Chief James Heasley.

Twenty years given to public service as a volunteer fire-fighter deserves the gratitude of the community which these men enjoy.

When McMillan and Swanson joined the department in 1927, the late Wm. D. Richards was Chief and "Old Snort" was sev-



GORDON G. McMILLAN

en years old. During this time 444 fire alarms have been answered.

Other 20-year badges which have previously been awarded were given to James George Norris, present Assistant Chief



JOE T. SWANSON

and charter member; Vernon Udell, active, who joined in 1924; Chief Heasley also joined in '24; and three retired members, Mayor Steinberger, Aloysius Karger (charter members) and Steve Pestel, joining in 1922.

## Chamber Discusses Store Hours

### Annual Election Next Monday Night Set For City Hall

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night the question of what evening the stores should be open for the Christmas shoppers was discussed and it was the opinion that it would not be proper for the Chamber to set dates inasmuch as no merchants were present. The directors did, however, recommend that the stores remain open certain evenings, to be agreed upon by themselves.

It was suggested that many local people would prefer to do their shopping at home—that the evening was the only time that many families would be able to shop together—that if only one or two stores were open on the street much of the enthusiasm for buying might be stifled.

The next meeting will be the annual held in the Council Chambers, Monday evening, December 15th, at eight o'clock for naming directors to take the place of retiring members, A. L. Suman, A. E. Morgan, Sam Perlof, Carl T. Colt and Paul Carter. Remaining on the board are Thomas Schwartz, Wm. Estes, John C. Loomis, Jr., Noren Eaton and Harold Spears.

### PETER MADSENS HERE WHILE BUILDING IN HASTINGS RANCH

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Madsen, formerly of Westwood Village, are taking up a temporary residence in the new house at the corner of Orange Grove and Park, until their new home is completed on the Hastings Ranch property. Their son Peter Jr., is enrolled in the first grade here, and a daughter, Jody, will join them when she completes the semester at her present school.

## CROSBY GUESTS AT FOOTBALL GAME SATURDAY

John L. Fitzgerald with his son, Dr. Edgar J. Fitzgerald, of Wallace, Idaho, and Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Rotchford of Spokane were guests for luncheon and the game of Bing Crosby last Saturday. Following dinner they were escorted through the sets of "The Connecticut Yankee" the picture which Mr. Crosby is now making and were shown previews of completed scenes. The doctors, school mates of Mr. Crosby in Spokane, spent the weekend with him.

## Police Hdqs. For Navajo Relief

### Caravan Will Take Food To Sufferers Regularly

Deeming it only just that the American public should take care of its First Americans who are in dire need on reservations in New Mexico and Arizona, the American Indian Citizens League of California, Inc., is sponsoring the Navajo Trail Relief Caravan.

The purpose is to meet an emergency situation on the Navajo and Hopi reservations, where the dire need of clothing, food and medical supplies is extreme.

This drive is to give direct relief to Indians in New Mexico and Arizona and especially the Navajos, who are facing starvation on many parts of the reservation.

The condition was brought about by the drastic reduction of livestock which has been the main livelihood of the Navajo (Continued on page 6)

## PLANNING COMMISSION DISCUSSES NEW PROPOSED SUBDIVISION ORDINANCE

Because there seems to be considerable confusion in the minds of many of our citizens concerning the proposed new zoning ordinance, at the request of the NEWS, the Planning Commission has prepared the following article explaining some of the principal phases of the new document.

The ordinance was given first reading at the Council meeting of October 28th and before the second reading, November 25th, was referred back to the Planning Commission for further study.

The purpose of the Subdivision Act is to maintain and improve property values in Sierra Madre.

The Planning Commission has received many complaints from owners whose property has been injured by the splitting of adjoining lots in a manner not contemplated in the original subdivision. The character of their street has changed by keying, by driveway easements created to sell rear portions of a lot, by cutting street frontages to 30 feet, and by the sale of existing homes on sites as small as 2500 square feet.

Other complaints have come from property adjacent to subdivisions which have been put on, in evasion of the State Subdivision Act. This state law, requiring city and state approval of subdivisions in excess of four parcels, can be gotten around easily and has resulted in changes which have not been to the best interest of neighboring property owners.

As compared with other communities in Southern California Sierra Madre is old. The Planning Commission is greatly concerned with the way in which (Continued on page 10)





## EVERYTHING READY FOR NURSERY DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT

Saturday night will find hundreds of Sierra Madrenes in their best bibs and tuckers at the Woman's Clubhouse, attending the First Annual Christmas Party and Dance of the Sierra Madre Community Nursery School. The group's most ambitious project to date in the social field, the dance is being held to raise funds to finance the purchase of new equipment for the school.

All week long mothers of the school have been busy in their kitchens turning out cookies for the refreshments and many a choice recipe will be making its first appearance outside the family circle. Cake, coffee and punch also are on the menu.

## Vopateks Bask In Key West Sunshine

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Vopatek, who moved recently from 153 East Highland to Monrovia, spent last month in Florida. They drove to Tampa, then flew to Miami, and Key West where they visited Col. and Mrs. M. J. Vopatek. This was directly after the hurricane, and they could just see the rooftops of houses in the Everglades which were submerged in flood water.

Leaving Tampa, they witnessed the effects of the storm in New Orleans, which they reported left the big, beautiful homes flattened as if they had been stamped upon. At Ensley, near Birmingham, Alabama, they spent a week end with Mr. Eustace, formerly of St. Rita's Church.

## MRS. TARUP HOSTESS CUB SCOUT COMMITTEE

The monthly Cub Scout Committee meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Ray Tarup, 207 North Ramona. Plans for the Christmas party to be held in the cafeteria, December 19, were made. The Cubs are making the decorations, and each member brings a gift.

## CONSTELLATION HOME TO BOSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Williams, 310 East Highland, bid farewell to Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. John Yerxa, who left last week via the Constellation for her home in Boston, Massachusetts. She had been a guest at the Williams home for two weeks.

## PARISH DRAWS MANY XMAS SEEKERS

The Christmas sale and tea held at the Parish House of the Church of the Ascension, Friday, was successful in raising funds. Many of the Women's Auxiliary of the Church headed by Miss Daisy Hawks and Mrs. Harry Holland, attended the tables of fancywork, buttons, cooked food, lavender bags, white elephants, and the serving of tea.

## PARTY SET FOR DEC. 19

There will be no meeting of the Arts Guild this week but the Annual Christmas Party with Christmas tree, music, etc., will be held Friday evening, December 19.

## Christmas Carols and Election of Officers

The gathering of the Women's Society of the Congregational Church held last Tuesday featured a business meeting and election of officers. Leaders for 1948 are: Mrs. Lewis I. George, Mrs. Roy H. Pickett, and Miss Martha Pritchard on the president's committee; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Kenneth Bush; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Herbert Seifert; 3rd vice-president, Mrs. Ben Mobley; recording secretary, Mrs. Maybelle Barker; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harry Caskey; treasurer, Mrs. Catherine Elliott; house chairman, Mrs. H. S. Embree; circle chairmen, Miss Marjorie Adams and Mrs. Convers L. Twycross.

After luncheon Miss Marjorie Adams spoke on current topics and Miss Martha Pritchard led devotions. A delightful group of Christmas carols were presented by Mrs. Catherine Kirk and her popular women carolers, with Kay Sessenden, contralto, of Los Angeles, as soloist.

## ENTERTAINS FRIENDS AT MINNESOTA HOME

Mrs. C. J. McCoy, 210 Mariposa, recently returned from a summer at her home, Detroit Lake, Minn. Miss Walter Hartman was a house guest for the season, other Western guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tayne of Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes of San Diego.

## REV. JOHN NEAL RETURNS TO WEST

The Rev. John S. Neal, a former rector of the Church of the Ascension has recently moved from Decatur, Ill., where he has been since leaving Sierra Madre, to Greenville, Texas, at 2502 Marshall St.

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## STATE MENTAL HOSPITALS MUCH OVER-CROWDED

Two morbid reports, one dealing with insanity and the other with murders and suicides for the fiscal year ending last June 30 were filed with the Board of Supervisors this week.

Analysis of the reports by Supervisor William A. Smith, disclosed that there are now more than 7000 patients in California's eight mental hospitals above their "normal capacity." During the year county psychopathic courts heard 5141 cases and committed 2639 persons to State hospitals. Of this number 1341 were men and 1298 were women. There were 635 alcoholic cases heard by the court.

The county coroner reported 208 homicides and 639 suicides during the year. Of the latter 445 were men and 194 women. Ill health was blamed in 639 cases with domestic difficulty and loss of job tied for second place as cause with a total of 112 each.

Domestic difficulties led all causes for murders committed, Supervisor Smith said.

## JUST MADE A FLYING CALL

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Quinter enjoyed what was truly a flying visit from an old friend they had not seen in over twenty years. Theodore Balf and son, George, landed in Los Angeles at 6 A. M. last Tuesday from their flight scheduled for 6 P. M. the same day. They were induced to come out to Sierra Madre for a short visit and were so impressed with the beauty and charm they expressed the desire to return to stay.

## ST. RITA GROUP HOSTS AT TEEN-AGE DANCE

The Teen-Age dance sponsored by the Recreation Commission and headed by Mrs. J. Stadden Miller and Sam McElfresh, was held last Friday night at the Park House. Chaperones were Mrs. Lugo and Mrs. Morningstar representing the St. Rita Altar Society, who provided refreshments.

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## 25th ANNIVERSARY SCOUTING

(Continued from page 1)

Ed Osterman, Secretary. Appointed officers were introduced by Mr. Kinney.

At the conclusion of the Court, the Anniversary program, was opened by Jack Butler, in the capacity of Master of Ceremonies.

The Sierra Madre Maie Quartet entertained with delightful numbers. Mr. Trask presented the Silver Anniversary Charter to the host of the evening.

Troop No. 1, Boys Scouts of America in Sierra Madre, sponsored by the Congregational Church. Mr. Trask spoke in his inimitable manner of the accomplishment of Scouting during the past twenty-five years in Sierra Madre and of the District plans for the future.

Ten boys received their Ten derfoot Badges into Scouting: Richard Ward and Tommy Lumsdon of Troop No. 1; Preston Letters, Mickey Woods, Roland Brant, Dennis Pesek, of Troop No. 2; James Vernon, of Troop No. 3; Donald Parker, Dennis Lees and Edgar Lockhart of Troop No. 4.

This ceremony was a beautiful candlelight investiture service, conducted by the boys of Troop No. 1 and their leaders, Bert Embree, Scoutmaster, and Leroy Limbaugh, Assistant Scoutmaster.

Mrs. Elizabeth L. Turner presented to the Congregational Church Scout Rooms, a beautiful picture of Lord Baden-Powell (Father of Scouting). This picture was accepted for the Scouts by Dr. Harry Morley, Committee Chairman of Troop No. 1.

Introductions and remarks by "Old Timers" in Scouting followed. Concluding solos, "Duna" and "Come Back to Sorrento," were sung by Dick Patterson, former Troop No. 1 Scout, with Miss Jean Askew as accompanist.

## ADVANCEMENT AWARDS AT THE COURT OF HONOR

Troop No. 1.  
Second Class: Jimmy Tice.  
Merit Badges: Leland Ballen, Bookbinding; Donald Proctor, Carpentry; Wesley Shipway, Woodworking.

Troop No. 2.  
Second Class: David Veiga.  
First Class: James B. Hill, David M. Lovejoy.

Merit Badges: Tom Webster, Foremanship.  
Troop No. 3.  
Second Class: Richard Allison, James D. Moffat, Ernest Patterson.

First Class: Leo Allison.  
Merit Badges: Leo Allison, Cooking, Home Repair, Wood Turning, Woodwork, Carpentry; Leonard Barrett, Pottery; George Carlson, Home Repair.

Troop No. 4.  
Second Class: Ray Rickman.  
Fifteen Year Veteran: George Hannaford.

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—Oliver Goldsmith.

(Most of Man's progress is based on hope. Faced with the most confusing and soul-trying problems, when faith seems completely lost, hope springs eternal.)

**YOUR FRIEND, THE FROG, CASTS AN OBSERVANT** though somewhat jaundiced eye at the Yuletide displays which are springing up about him here on the corner on the square. The Chamber of Commerce, aided and abetted by members of half a dozen other civic groups, following "Red" Suman's design, directed by Mrs. (Shorty) Steinberger, executed by such characters as Noren Eaton, Tom Henderson, Harold Spears, Joe Swanson—and in fact, most all the other civic-minded workers in this herd town—last Sunday performed a miracle! **THEY MADE THE P. E. STATION LOOK ATTRACTIVE!** It now looks like a Swiss chalet awaiting the arrival of St. Nicholas!

IT IS MY HOPE THAT THE REST OF US will do something to further the example set by the C. of C. and its workers. I note that for the first time in many years the Masonic Lodge has decorated its Deodar. For several days POP has been fussing around with that far-away look in his eye which indicates the germ of a thought. Even he may come up with something in the way of Christmas decorations! Mr. (Fix-it) Dumas continues to further the Xmas spirit with his broadcasting of Christmas carols. All very much in keeping with the character of Ourville—which you know by now is not too big and not too small,—Just Right, sez !!

IN MY DEPARTMENT, THE VEGETABLE, THAT IS, everything looks mighty dern good. The quality is better and the average price is lower than for several years. Everything from SOUP (frozen, split pea) to NUTS (all kinds, including chestnuts). Of course, my forte is fresh stuff, but I must call your attention to several BIRDSEYE items: Lima Bean Succotash, French Fried Potatoes and Strawberries. You'd be surprised at the number of desirable, unusual foods you can find in our frozen foods cases.

DEGLET-NOOR DATES, PACKED BY THE WELL-KNOWN local Carter and Miller boys, and fancy Walnuts, packed by the almost-as-well-known Damon and Murphy boys, are ready for shipment to appreciative, hungry Eastern friends. Just give DEANE your list and he will do the rest. And if you want a special pack of oranges, avocados, persimmons or what not, by golly, we're the guys to do it!

OH, YES, OUR FIRST SHIPMENT OF CHRISTMAS TREES has arrived. Competition being what it is, we won't have too many; but what we do have will be personally-selected, top quality Douglas Firs and Silver Tips. If we don't have what you want, or if you don't want to buy your tree now, just leave your order with DEANE. He will select a tree for you that will delight you and your whole family. Guess that's enough for my department, and so—

AFTER CASING THE JOINT, AND WHO HAS A BETTER RIGHT to call this dump a joint?—I find a lot of things in CURLY'S Grocery Department which I'll bet you didn't know he has. How about a Chinese dinner? I have the Chinese peas and the bean sprouts. CURLY has everything else, including water chestnuts, bamboo shoots and jasmine tea.

BY THE WAY, IF YOU INTEND TO BAKE YOUR OWN FRUIT CAKE, this is the last call! It should have a little age on it, you know. For it we have all the ingredients, the most important of which are lemon, orange and citron peels—and glaze pineapple.

IF I DON'T SAY SOMETHING ABOUT THE MEAT DEPARTMENT, I will positively end up in the dog house. Or should I say toad-swamp? CLARE was offered, and was tempted to buy, one of those prize-winning steers from the Stock Show. Wanta know what he said? "Listen, my Manning's Baby Beef is as good as that ALL the time! Why should I buy one of those big, fat steers just for fun? Fact is, we are proud of the quality of all our meats. Some customers drive ten miles because of said quality. Price? Well, we don't like it any better than you do. Still, I will wager a frog skin that you can buy better meat here for no more than you would pay elsewhere for meat of inferior quality!

CLARE SAYS THAT EVERYONE WHO BOUGHT A TURKEY here at Thanksgiving was outspoken in his praise of same. THANKS, FOLKS! You may rest assured that the birds for Christmas will be at least as good. Better place your order now!

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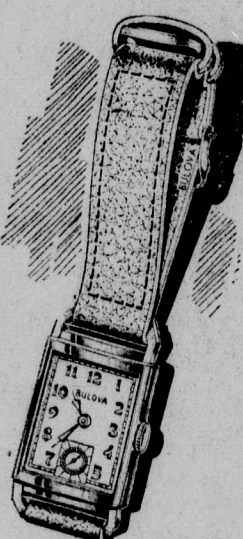
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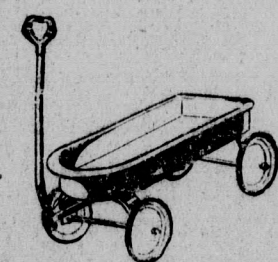
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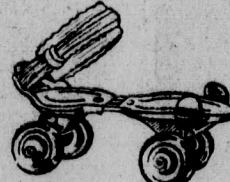
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# J. Edgar Hoover, FBI Calls Church to Prevent Crime

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"The Churches are in the front trenches of America's crime prevention crusade," Mr. Hoover said. "Never before has there been such a challenging need for aggressive, inspirational leadership among the boys and girls of this country. At the present time only half the youth of America are being reached by the Churches, and of those who are being reached, entirely too many are merely 'on the rolls.'"

"Church attendance is a vital factor in the Nation's crime prevention program. While serving as Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation during the

## GEORGE BOUVIER LION'S PROGRAM HEAD TONIGHT

The Lion's Club business meeting Thursday night, had a gratifying turnout. Chairman of the evening was Mel Stein, who was also appointed chairman of a committee for improving the Lions Club attendance. Joe Maple, Cleve Johnson, Sid Hamill and Dr. Frank Anderson, make up the committee.

Another group was nominated to work with the National Guard: Lawrence Brain, chairman and aides George Bouvier, and Francis Danielson. A board meeting was held at the home of Sterling Ripple, Tuesday night.

Chairman of the next meeting is George Bouvier who has a moving picture planned.

## Explorers Camp At Boulder Dam

Explorer Scout Troop 108 enjoyed the three-day outing to Lake Mead and Boulder Dam, over the Thanksgiving holidays. This included a boat trip up the lake and a tour through the dam, and also motion pictures and slides which were shown at the lodge.

Camping out under the leadership of Russell Garland were: Warren Peterson, Loren Heasley, Bill Newberry, Calvin Floyd, Ed Blakeman and Ray Hinkley.

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# Score 13-13 In Sunday Football Game Leaves East vs. West Title Undecided

A score of 13-13 ended the annual "Touch Tackle" football classic played Sunday at Wilson Junior High School by the East versus the West side of Baldwin Avenue. Sam Davis and Herbie Lacey managed the East side, with Junior Grippi and Henry Nuetzel on the West. Lawrence Perry was referee.

Bill Dyche of the East received the kick off, and Jackie Lloyd intercepted the pass making the West's first touchdown. An attempted conversion failed, making the score 6-0 in favor of the West at the 1st quarter.

A successful forty-yard pass from Herbie Lacey to Sam Schwartz made forty yards for the East in the half.

Lacey again passed to Roy Warden making another twenty yards. Richard LaLone, a West player intercepted an attempted pass. John Buchan of the West passed, but Bill Guardia intercepted and made 20 yards for the East's first touchdown. Sam Davis took the ball over for conversion. End of the half the score stood East, 7; West, 6.

The third quarter was close till a pass by Junior Grippi of the West was intercepted making another touchdown for the East. Then the East failed to convert. 3rd quarter: East, 13; West, 6.

The final quarter consisted of incomplete and intercepted passes until the latter part of the game when the West moved up the field with short passes and runs. A pass from Nuetzel to Lloyd was good for the West's second touchdown. The West converted and the score was tied. The gun sounded when Earl LaLone threw an incomplete fifty-yard pass and the score remained 13-13.

## PARENTS MAY STUDY CHILD IN MOVIE "THIS IS ROBERT"

If you are parents of a child whose everyday behavior is extremely difficult to cope with and causes you considerable worry, don't fail to see the next documentary film program at the Los Angeles County Museum in Exposition Park at 8:00 P. M. tomorrow, Friday, December 12.

The title of the film is "This is Robert" produced by the department of child study, Vassar College, in co-operation with the Sarah Lawrence College Nursery School. The picture traces the development of an aggressive, difficult, yet appealing child, from his early nursery school days to his first year in a public school.

The documentary film programs, which started last October, are given each Friday at the Museum under the education division of the Museum in collaboration with The Museum Association and the Board of Supervisors. No admission is charged.

## "THE SNOW BALL" DANCE SET FOR DECEMBER 6th

The Sierra Madre School is holding a dance Saturday night, December 6, which will continue until 11 P. M. This event, known as the "Snow Ball," will be held in the cafeteria. Games and refreshments are also planned for the evening.

## HOME FOR HOLIDAYS FROM MICHIGAN

Lee Van Camp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moon and grandson of Mrs. Frances Yeckley of 40 South Hermosa will arrive December 21st from the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor for the holidays in Sierra Madre. Mr. VanCamp is a junior with a forestry major.

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Estate of CATHERINE E. MILLINGTON, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to present them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Executor at the office of Gilbert Fall and John C. Mead, 615 Broadway Arcade Bldg., City of Los Angeles 13, County of Los Angeles, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate, or to file them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles. Dated November 20, 1947.

FRANK R. MILLINGTON, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of said deceased.

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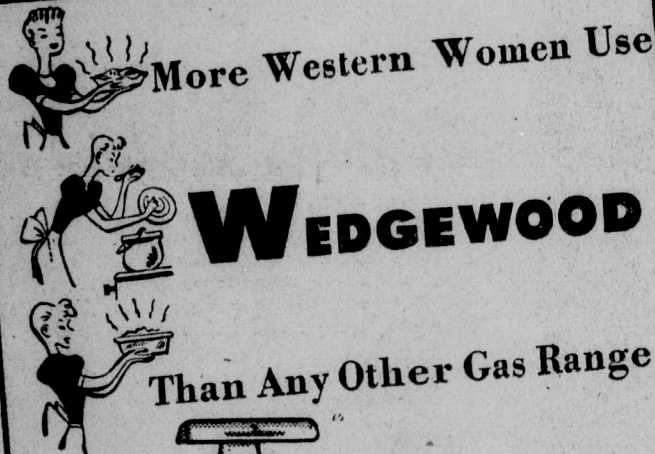
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With over 120 children in the cast, practices are under way for "Christmas is a Miracle" under the direction of Esther Santee and Vivien Olsen assisted by Dorothy Hies in charge of costumes, Chas. Mipps as student director and Stanley Tobias as prompter. The orchestra, glee clubs and grade chorus will present the traditional Christmas music.

Of special interest to the class of 1946 and the casts of past spring operettas will be the use for the first time of a new curtain, the funds for which were given to the school by these groups.

The play will be presented to the public free of charge the evening of Thursday, December 18 in the school auditorium.

**JOHN RUSKIN CHAPTER  
GIVING TEA FRIDAY**

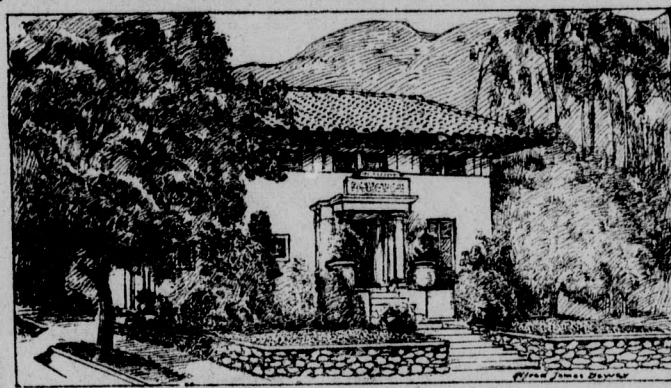
Mrs. A. E. Pulling is holding a silver tea in her home, 382 West Montecito, from 3 to 5 p. m., Friday, December 12. Hostesses will be members of the John Ruskin Chapter of D. B. E., and proceeds will go to the British Home.

**MRS. WELCH HOME  
FROM WISCONSIN**

Mrs. Agnes Welch, mother of Lloyd Welch, who has been visiting a daughter for eight months in Beloit, Wisconsin, returned to her home, 51 North Baldwin, last week.

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EVERY TIME**

Mrs. Frank Shade, who lived for a short time on Santa Anita Court and last year moved to Bell, has purchased another home at 109 South Lima after deciding that Sierra Madre is a nice place to live. Mrs. Harry E. Morley, 400 Ramona, is her daughter.

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WINTER GIFTS**

A letter of appreciation for the efforts of Girl Scout Troop 4 who worked sewing baby clothes for a Holland family, was received recently by Mrs. John Fergus. Portions of the letter follow: "Yesterday we got your parcel with the baby garments. Oh what lovely little shirts, frocks and pants! The girls have made them very well and fine. I shall give them to several mothers who have little babies and who are needing the clothes. Please will you give my thanks to the girls that made the clothes?"

We have had a very beautiful, hot, Indian Summer. Now it is growing cold and we hope this winter will not be as strong and cold as the winter before. We have not much coal but we are very thankful to the Lord who helps us in so many ways by our American friends."

Thanks were also extended to Mrs. Fergus for the parcels of winter clothes which fitted the son in the family and the sweet meats which their daughter metered out for her daily lunch.

Been somewhere? Call the NEWS with the news 3324.

**SCHERMERHORN-NORD NUPTIALS PLEDGED  
IN SUNDAY AFTERNOON CHURCH RITES**

In an impressive afternoon ceremony at the Congregational Church, Sunday, Grace Nord became the bride of Ellsworth Schermerhorn, with Rev. Carl Smith officiating. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Nord, 139 South Baldwin, and Mr. Schermerhorn is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Schermerhorn, of Hawthorne.

Gowned in a white lace bodice with a bengaline skirt, a Juliette Cap held a fingertip veil in place, and she carried white gardenias and orchids.

Mrs. David Wilcox, matron of honor, wore pink and car-

ried sweet peas. Best man was Arthur Bradley of Pasadena.

The mothers of the couple were attired in gowns of contrasting shades; Mrs. Nord, in blue taffeta and Mrs. Schermerhorn in pink crepe, and each carried an orchid.

Catherine Kirk was organist, and Mary Bradley sang "Thine Alone," "I'll Walk Beside You," and "Lord's Prayer."

After a honeymoon in La Jolla, the pair will make their home in Hawthorne, and the groom will continue work with the C. A. A.

**CLERK'S AUXILIARY SEND  
GIFTS TO OLIVE VIEW**

A luncheon was held Friday at the home of Mrs. Harry A. Howard, 97 South Hermosa. Guests were 65 members from surrounding communities, of the Post Office Clerks' Auxiliary, of which Mrs. Howard is president. This organization sends stamps every month to veterans' hospitals for individual collections, and is providing Christmas gifts for 400 "family-less" Olive View patients.

**MANY GUESTS AT  
THANK YOU PARTY**

Approximately 250 guests attended the annual "Thank You" party held at the British Home, last Sunday. They brought many gifts for replenishing the pantry.

If you drink—don't drive.

**WILL MAKE HOME  
ON EAST ALEGRIA**

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence and son John, of Rochester, New York arrived yesterday to make their home with Mrs. Henry Russell Talbot, 258 East Alegria.

**HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS  
SELL FLOWERS SATURDAY**

The Foothill Chapter 55 of the Disabled American Veterans of World Wars I and II, Monrovia area, are having a sale of "Forget-me-nots," for the rehabilitation of veterans, Saturday, December 13. High school girls will sell the flowers around town.

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FROM CARTER HOME  
TO SANTA ANITA DEPOT**

John DePencier recently made a visit to the scenes of his boyhood at Sierra Madre and writes of his reactions after returning to his home in Samoa in Humboldt county.

"To a person who was a boy in Sierra Madre 50 years ago there have been many changes in what was then a little foothill town to the present city. But the greatest change has been in the people and their manner of living.

The boys went to school to such splendid teachers as Abbie Michaels, Mr. Hornsby and Mrs. Jones; by the time they had reached the eighth grade they all were over 6 feet tall. There were no picture shows, no automobiles and few bicycles; the most pleasant pastime was the hours at the dancing school, conducted by Miss Vannier, the boxing matches under the instruction of the Hart Bros. and the reservoirs where good swimming was enjoyed. The gasoline engine at that time was just coming on the market; the coasters that gave the boys a thrill from Mr. Carter's house to the Santa Anita depot were slow going on the way back. Lewis Reed studied how to run one up hill with an engine. The outdoor life developed in many of these boys a love of California and from the woods, mills and railroads some of them still drive back to Sierra Madre.

**LETTER TO THE EDITOR**

Congratulations to the one who thought of it in the first place! And congratulations to all those whose careful thoughtful hands made it so well.

Of course I mean the P. E. Station now covered with sparkling snow—the eaves dripping with decoration icicles—the snow drift onto red fences and tree trunks—and Oh! that real looking frost on the window panes! All this framed by the low hanging branches of the lacy pepper trees—and of course the glittering Christmas Tree.

It is something we adults knew long ago and seeing it remember, or perhaps like the night before Christmas dream of a child.

The little station with its grim coat of gray suddenly is transformed into a fairy story house. We wish it might stay gay and picturesque, it's a beautiful building, after the snow has melted.

Congratulations again and sincere appreciation for a truly creative idea.

Caroline S. Rohland

**EXPLORER SCOUTS  
KEEP BUSY DAYS**

The Explorer Scouts met last Thursday and cleaned the Youth Hut, as well as painting the icicles for the P. E. Station Christmas decorations. A trip is being planned for the Christmas holidays.

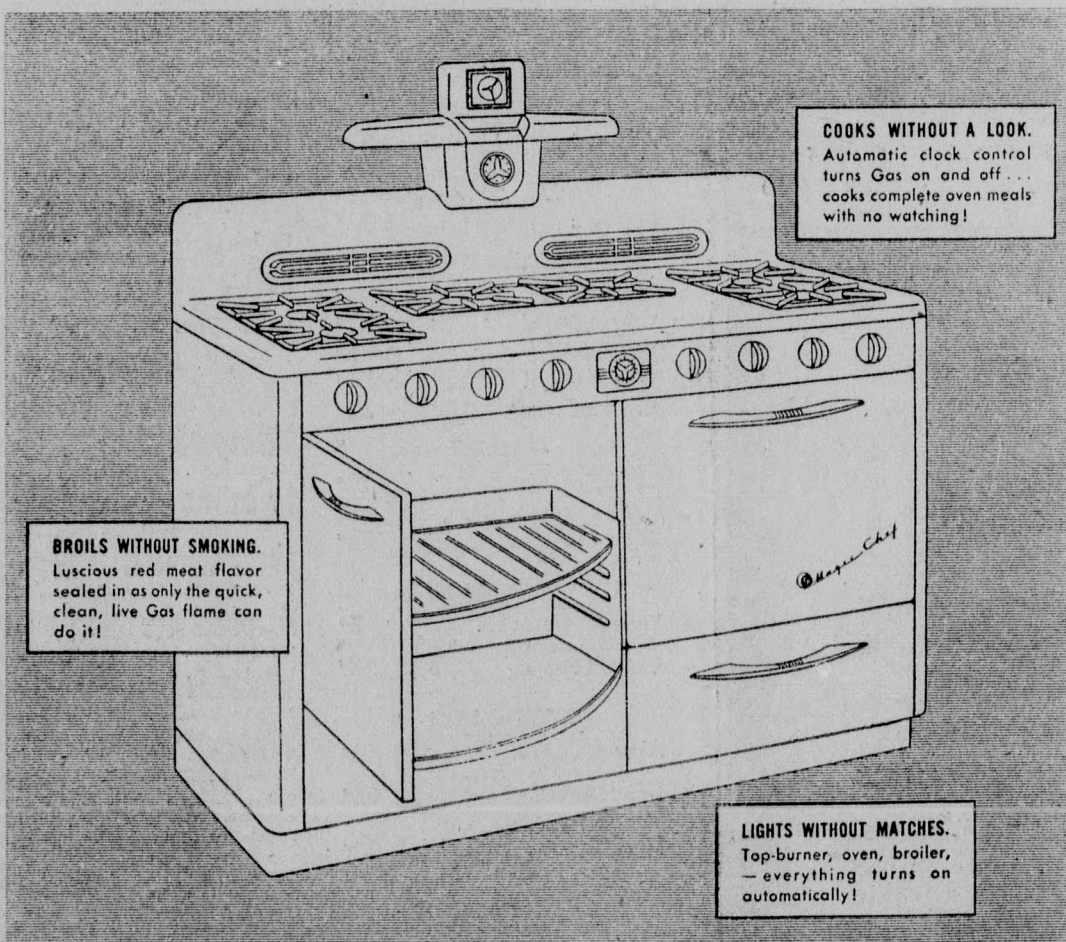
**CANAL BUILDING OLD**

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## FRIENDS INVITED FOR TEA ENJOY RECENT PORTRAIT

Gen. and Mrs. Edward Clinton Young were at home for a tea recently. The guests were a few close friends from Sierra Madre and art connoisseurs from Scripps College art groups. The tea was occasioned by the arrival of an oil painting by Elizabeth Horn of Scarsdale, New York. The canvas, an oil of Gen. Young, sketched when he and Mrs. Young were in Scarsdale last June when Gen. Young returned to West Point for the 50th anniversary of his graduation.

The artist is a long time friend of Gen. and Mrs. Young whose home in the East was at Scarsdale until they came to Sierra Madre to live at 131 East Orange Grove Avenue.

The tea guests experienced an unusual pleasure when greeted by their host attired in the identical suit even to the necktie which he wore when sitting for the portrait. There were many exclamations in the tone, "O, it seems you stepped right out of the picture to shake hands."

## SHOWER FOR RECENT BRIDE

Mrs. Thomas Miller, Jr., gave a tea and shower yesterday for Evelyn Noshier Cushing whose marriage was announced recently. Twenty-four guests were invited.

## THREE NEW RECRUITS FOR SEA NYMPH

The Crew of the Sea Nymph are spending much time these days rehearsing with other Girl Scouts for the coming Christmas Cantata, December 21st. They had added three apprentices, Lynn Wilcox, Jackie Thurston and Dolores Mollen to their number who are working to meet the requirements of the Ship.

## OHIO COUSIN SPENDS DAY WITH CAPT. O'BANION

Clayton O'Banion owner and publisher of the Tipton Tribune of Ohio, with his daughter, Mary Jane O'Banion, also a newspaper person, spent the day with his cousin, Capt. A. E. O'Banion of Camillo Road, recently. The visit was occasioned by research of the O'Banion Family. A genealogy is to be published very soon by the Eastern O'Banion.

## ROOM MOTHERS PLAN CHRISTMAS PARTIES

There will be no regular meeting of the P. T. A. during December, but room mothers are planning Christmas parties for the children in the classrooms on December 18th, the last day of school before the Christmas vacation.

## ENTERTAINED BY THE OLSENS OF SAN MARINO

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Olsen of 37 Suffolk, spent the recent holiday with their son, William Olsen in San Marino. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilson of Pasadena and their daughter, Lois, a senior at the University of California at Santa Barbara.

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## BETTY DAILEY PLEDGED TO GAMMA KAPPA THETA

Elizabeth (Betty) Dailey attending Occidental College has been pledged to the National Sorority Gamma Kappa Theta. Miss Dailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dailey, East Alameda, graduated from Anokaia last June.

## HOUSE GUESTS AT GOEBEL RESIDENCE

Visiting the Goebel's of the Malt Shop are Mrs. Goebel's sisters, Mrs. Margaret Keutzer and Mrs. Laura Ludwig from Peru, Illinois, and Mrs. Pauline Holdren of Glendale, and Peter Thran a brother, and Miss Helton Albrecht from Chicago, Illinois.

## ENTERTAIN FOR DAUGHTER'S BIRTHDAY FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. R. Moore, 689 West Sierra Madre Blvd., were hosts at a birthday dinner Friday evening, for their daughter Mrs. Dwight H. Poundstone and family of Los Angeles.

## GUEST FROM MEMPHIS AT COLBERT HOME

Miss Geanne Marie Faquin of Memphis, Tennessee, is the guest for a few weeks of the Misses Sylvia and Jane Colbert, 609 West Alameda. Mrs. Sylvia B. Colbert and family were residents of Memphis prior to coming to California.

## DINNER WITH OHIO FRIENDS

Maybelle Barker was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith at Hotel Green, Pasadena, on Thursday evening. The Smiths of Elyria, Ohio who have been spending two months in Pasadena left for Laguna Beach Sunday where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

## TEA HONORING BRIDE ELECT

Mrs. Lee Shippey, 297 Toyon Drive will be hostess at a shower honoring Doris Colt, in her home this afternoon. Miss Colt will be the bride of Rudy Hartman, December 27.

In a setting of pink roses and white lilies, 17 guests will enjoy the buffet-style refreshments and tea, poured by Mrs. Shippey's mother, Madame Babin, and Mrs. May Bettis.

## CHRISTMAS MUSICALE BY GIRL SCOUTS

The Christmas program at the Eastern Star meeting next Monday evening will be given by the chorus from Girl Scout Troop 4. The numbers will be a preview of the Christmas carols and music which the Scouts of the city are preparing for their Sunday afternoon choral program to be presented in Bethany Church December 21. The Sunday chorus will include more than 100 voices.

Mrs. Richard O. Richards of Suffolk Ave., is training the girls, rehearsals have been going on for weeks. Mrs. Richards is a recent musical addition to Sierra Madre talent. She coached two years with Dr. Clarence Dickinson, Dean of Sacred Music at the Union Theological University in New York City which is associated with Columbia University. She was also two years at the Juillard School and was with Fred Waring until the war.

## ALA ACTIVITIES

Final Christmas plans will be consummated tonight at the Christmas meeting held at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Welch, 51 North Baldwin Avenue. An ex-service woman, Pricilla Frederickson of San Fernando hospital has been adopted by our unit. The unit remembered her with a birthday gift, and a Thanksgiving basket and she will be remembered with a Christmas gift. Thanksgiving baskets were sent to two needy families in our community.

## HOME SUNDAY FOR BUFFET SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Dudley, 1150 Fallen Leaf Road, entertained Sunday with a buffet supper in their home. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Blythe of San Carlos, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Noble and Mrs. Ann Burns of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. William Henman of San Marino, and Dr. and Mrs. Jerome Humphries of the Oaks.

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**MRS. W. W. GILDERSLEEVE**

**New Head of  
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Club on Duty**

The new president of the Sierra Madre Woman's club, Mrs. W. W. Gildersleeve, was greeted yesterday at the luncheon meeting with enthusiasm for her proposed activities of the club year.

Mrs. Gildersleeve was born and raised in Chicago, where she was active in Church, Club and Red Cross work. She, with her two daughters came to Sierra Madre two and a half years ago where they were joined by Col. Gildersleeve on his return from overseas.

In accepting the presidency of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club she is continuing the active interest she has in civic affairs.

A resume of the club's activities for the month of December reveals a wide scope of endeavor and benevolent enterprise; realizing the serious emergency of the American Indian problem the club voted \$25 for the medical fund; a card party will be given later for the same cause; sponsoring Campfire and Girl Scout troops; the usual donation to the Ranchos Los Amigos Children's party; a donation to the County Hospital Doll Party; 50 books to the Sierra Madre Friendship Club; subscription to Life Magazine for Sgt. Clifford LaGutin confined at McCornack General Hospital; adopting a local family for the year for whom they will give a Christmas party meaning a real Christmas tree with toys, goodies, clothing and refreshments served by Mrs. Erdene Bouvier and Mrs. Gildersleeve.

The luncheon yesterday was in charge of the past presidents and the program was presented by Mrs. Edward Wilcox, featuring Christmas music and Christmas readings by Mrs. Milton Steinberger. Mrs. Florence Wilhelm was a guest and gave an interesting talk on her European trip last summer.

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**ATTENDS COUNTY  
PLANNING MEET  
IN PASADENA**

Mrs. Sally Osgood of the City Planning Commission and John Osgood, president of the Sierra Madre Tax Payers Association are attending the dinner meeting of the Los Angeles Planning Congress tonight at the Brookside Golf Club.

C. W. Shelley, city administrator of Englewood, will speak on "Finance planning of Cities."

**BALLING  
BABY TALK**  
By MAXINE BALLING

JUST GOT TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT! We've been so busy at the Balling Baby Shop this week that we haven't had time even to say gitchy goo to the cute babies. By 5:30 last night I was so tired and absent minded that I caught myself about to wrap up a five dollar bill and put a little red wagon in the cash register. Either the merchandise at the Balling Baby Shop is too cute and attractive, or I say too much about it in this column, which after all, is my only advertising, and only once a week at that.

OK, I'm going to tone it down this week. Stop me if I rave too much about the cute . . . I mean the stuff here at the Balling Baby Shop. We have some new plastic purses. You DON'T WANT ANY, do you? They're for little girls. They're for money, any you have left after buying one, for they're VERY EXPENSIVE . . . \$1. They're red, green and Navy.

SOME NEW BUNTINGS came in, too. They're the loveliest . . . pardon me . . . they're just like baby old bunnings. They have zippers . . . which MIGHT get stuck after you've had one eight or ten years. You'll be ahead \$3.95 if you DON'T buy one.

HOW ABOUT A HOBBY HORSE for Junior for Christmas? They're just a piece of wood, you know, painted up something like a horse, with a rope for a tail. They're an AWFUL lot of money. 19.95. Of course, we have some wheel barrows for 1.95 and little red wagons for 3.95.

WE'VE HAD A LOT OF CALLS for long sleeve polo shirts. They're here, wide stripes and narrow stripes, grey, Navy, green, red and brown. 1.75.

YOU'LL LOVE the doll buggies. There's one of wicker, cutest little thing, 6.95. And there's a bigger one of leatherette, built just like the real ones . . . oh oh . . . there I go raving about the stuff. I guess I just can't help it. Everything here is so darned cute I can't resist it either.

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## '47 CHRISTMAS

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with ladders, hammers, paint spraying device, trucks, electric equipment and the will to finish before dark.

The inspiration came from A. L. Suman, who prepared the working sketch; the effects were carried out by Wm. Estes, Harold Spears and son with the help of such people as Al More was owned by a Mr. Richardson and by the Santa Fe Railroad. N. C. Carter bought this land from Richardson and incorporated it into his original piece. The northern line of the Santa Anita Rancho ran along what is now Grandview avenue to a point just west of the Catholic Church, then it ran in northwesterly direction towards Eaton's Canyon.

This section of Sierra Madre, north of Grandview, was laid out as the Monte Lado tract in 1903. The developers gave the name of Mira Monte to one street, but the street which we call Alegria was unnamed on their first map. The section of Alegria west of Baldwin appears under the name of Granite Heights. Arthur Carter says that Mr. Darling, who developed the Monte Lado Tract, named Alegria and Mira Monte, which in English means "Happiness" and "Mountain View."

In 1887, Mr. Carter laid out his vineyard into lots. This was done, Robert Clarke, Gae Williams, Mayor and Mrs. Steinberger, Mrs. Lauren Maltby with Camp Fire girls who prepared the tables, Sam Perloff, Mr. Dumas, Mrs. Don Parker, Chas. Brown, Joe Grippi, Jimmie Tyler, Mrs. Gentry, Explorer Troop, Sylvia Shippey Thomas, Eber Thomas, Jim Heasley and many others.

According to Mrs. Steinberger, who trimmed the Christmas Tree, "No Yule log was ever brought from the woods of Old England with more good humor and interest than was our own community Christmas tree so beautiful in its silver-tipped splendor. It is the gift of our good citizen Tom Henderson—journeying all the way from Big Pines and set into place by our own city boys. And so our Chamber of Commerce has brought Christmas to our lovely village in the hills."

## POLICE HDQRS.

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Tribe. Livestock was reduced because of land erosion due to over grazing. Returned World War Veterans no longer have the stock that they had before going into the Armed Forces. When it is possible for them to obtain permits for stock, they are not allowed a sufficient number to enable them to be self-supporting. It is not possible for them to obtain GI loans because the Government holds title to their land. It is hoped that this condition will be remedied when Congress next convenes.

All kinds of canned and dried foods are needed, especially flour, beans, sugar, salt, etc., also clean, warm, practical winter clothing, baby clothes, bedding, medical supplies, aspirin, cod liver oil, soap, etc.

Sierra Madre contributions may be left at Police Station. Chief McMillan will store the

## COUNCIL HAS

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and they would like to have a sliding door into the main hut to be used providing more room for large functions.

Mrs. Florence Peterson represented the board of directors, herself, Mrs. Steve O'Donnell and Mrs. Marjorie Barter. "No action was taken by the Council pending submission of the data asked by the Recreation Commission."

The Board of Trustees of Bethany church presented a request that a crosswalk be designated and marked at the intersection of Baldwin and Montecito Avenues in order to provide a safer crossing for persons attending the church services.

The request was referred to the Police Chief with a recommendation that permission be granted.

## THINGS ON THE FEMININE SIDE

By Dorothy Collins  
NBC Fashion Editor

Dennis Day had a lot to say. And all of it was about the way women dress, particularly Hollywood women.

"I don't like slacks," said the NBC singing star, "and I hate them with fur coats."

"I don't like plummy colored hair," he continued, "and I can't stand those top-sid, over-one-ear arrangements."

Things He Likes  
But he was equally vehement about what he did like in the way of women's clothes.

"City clothes," he said briefly, "Smart, dark dresses, big simple hats and no jangling things on their arms."

Another thing that irks Mr. Day is to have to walk into a room with a woman wearing "one of those screwy hats."

Oh, Those Hats  
"The hats most women wear detract from their personality," said bachelor Day. "I should think it would take a lot of concentrated effort on the part of a woman nowadays to find a really smart hat—one that doesn't make her look like a walking vegetable garden."

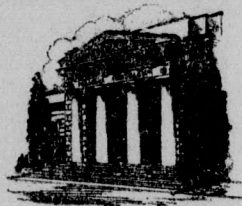
There are a couple of things though, that Dennis Day gives his complete approval. They are big earrings and midriff evening dresses.

## POINTED EGGS

The eggs of birds that breed on rock ledges without building nests are very pointed, so that the eggs will tend to roll about in a small circle instead of rolling off the ledge.

material until the caravan picks it up. The first one will leave December 13 for the reservation and they will continue periodically.

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This contract and the business Bevan Kilns are doing, together with the R. A. Hawks governmental projects, means that Montecito Ave. represents a grand total of over two million dollars a year from our industrial section. It means employment for over 275 people and many thousands of dollars spent yearly in Sierra Madre by skilled artisans and technicians. The name Sierra Madre appears on our products all over the world and Sierra Madre is fast becoming nationally known for its artcraft and highly technical products.

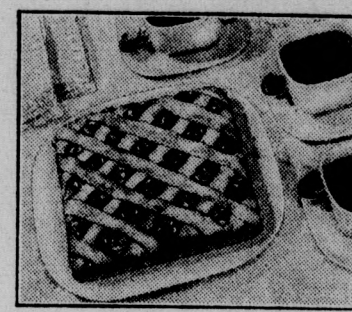
The Montecito plants are constantly improving; the Bevan Kilns have made a large addition and remodeled for more space inside; the McCarty Bros. are installing a new tunnel kiln to handle production art ware.

Lee McCarty said he believed that Sierra Madre was leading in the production of ceramics, he felt the recent survey showed a lead over Laguna.

## FIRST MILL

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Nancy Holmes  
SUGGESTS

No excuse now for dessert-less meals! Sugar is plentiful and vitaminized margarine is excellent but inexpensive for any type of baking. Cakes will once again take their place as the head of the sweet parade, but there are times when a meal demands something sweet—but not so sweet.

Therefore, we give you a delicious coffee bread recipe from Nancy Holmes, of the Best Foods Kitchen. It's one of the best all-around dishes we know because it's not only ideal as the last word of a baked bean supper but it's just as good for a late Sunday brunch, or to treat the crowd after the movies.

## Apricot Lattice Coffee Bread

1 cake compressed yeast  
1/2 cup milk  
1/4 cup sugar  
1 teaspoon salt  
3 tablespoons margarine  
2 cups flour  
1/2 cup grated lemon rind  
1 cup chopped dried apricots  
1/2 cup sugar  
1 egg  
2 1/2 cups flour  
1 teaspoon grated lemon rind  
1 cup chopped dried apricots  
1/2 cup sugar  
Crumble yeast and dissolve in 2 tablespoons lukewarm water. Scald milk, add sugar, salt and margarine; stir until dissolved. Cool to lukewarm and add to yeast. Beat egg, add to yeast mixture and lemon rind mixed with flour to make a soft dough. Knead two or three minutes or until smooth and elastic. Cook apricots in 1 cup water until soft; add 1/2 cup sugar; cool. Roll about 2/3 of the dough to 1/2 inch thickness and place in greased 8-inch square pan; spread with cooled apricot mixture. Roll remaining dough to 1/4 inch thickness and cut in strips. Arrange dough strips on apricots, lattice fashion. Cover pan with cloth and let dough rise in warm place until light; about 1 hour. Brush strips with slightly beaten egg white and sprinkle with sugar. Bake in moderately hot oven (375° F.) 25-30 minutes. Yield: one 8-inch square.

## AROUND THE TOWN

♦ Mrs. Ora Olsen was hostess Friday for three tables of bridge following a luncheon given at La-Bu-Tau.

♦ Ferris Hopkins of Phoenix, Arizona, was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Fred Morgan of South Baldwin, last week.

♦ Wm. Lauren Rhodes of W. Highland, is improving sufficiently to be about the house.

♦ The Norman Jensen family moved Tuesday from 273 Marioposa to 169 1/2 South Baldwin.

♦ Mrs. Sam Gorman, 65 East Sierra Madre Blvd., who has been ill with pneumonia, is convalescing slowly.

♦ Mrs. Phil Cochran, 85 East Sierra Madre Blvd., spent last week end in San Francisco with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Burnett.

♦ Mr. and Mrs. Troy A. Bond, moved to an apartment at 631 Sycamore Place, last week. The Bonds are formerly of Pasadena.



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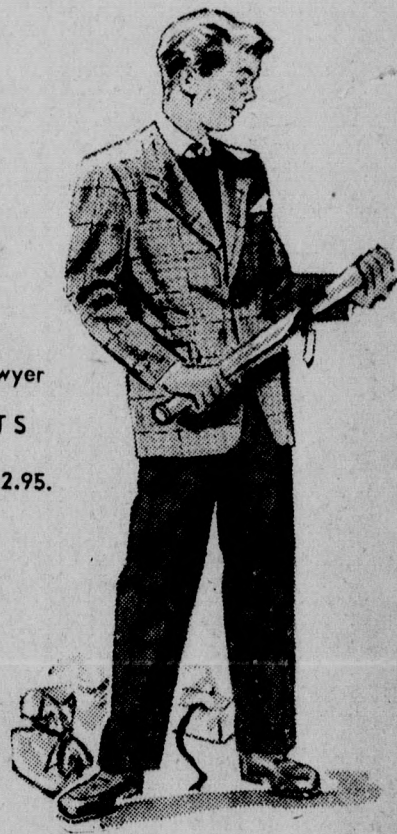
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ON THIS 13th day of November, A. D. 1947, before me Beth W. Hilton a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Wayne Earl Perry and Mable Alice Perry known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within Instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

Beth W. Hilton,  
Notary Public in and for said County and State.  
My Commission Expires March 28, 1949.



Cast of Characters and musicians, St. Rita's School who gave "Camouflage" and program Sunday afternoon and Monday evening in the school auditorium. Reading left to right:

ROW 1—Tommy Slight, Donald Blue, Jacqueline Barnes, Sanzio Merchetti, Billy Burke, Patrick Sullivan, Diane Twedell, Paul Riley, Billy Kiggen, Joan Smith, Mary Linda Woods, Lella Robertson, Jimmy Gruber, Marianne Kinney, Donald Carew, Walter Sheasby, Belinda McCloskey, Jimmy LuVisi, Victor Toarmina, Mary Ann Morse, Duanne Rauscher, Linda Muench, Jerry Page.

ROW 2—Merlinda Chavarria, Geraldine Barnes, Michael Hawkins, Robert Barnes, Julie Ann Armstrong, Kathleen Sheehy, Frank Chavarria, Laddie Podliska, Chapman Dimit, Donna Broomfield.

Martha Sweeney, Patricia Morrissey, Joe Kelly, Susan Caron, Tommy Stoffel, Norman Nahser, Martin Hagan, Jack Riley, Jim Riley, Christopher Robertson, John Sheehy, Edward Lugo, Victor Dimit, Michael Armstrong, Phillip Hayes.

ROW 3—Ronald Hayes, Edward Strunk, William Rice, Kathleen McCloskey, Mary Kiggins, Carolyn Morago, Marlene Smith, Judith Loza.

ROW 4—Jo Ann Podliska, Anna Marie Marchetti, Deborah Dedrick, Gale Udell, Gerald Twedell, George Gruber, Henri Castela, Patricia Hawkins, Sharon Orr, Madeleine Morago, Lynne Gildersleeve, Beverly Barnes, Stender Sweeney, Joseph Udell, Joseph Reynolds, Lawrence LuVisi, John Schweiger, Richard Lugo, Richard Chase.

ROW 5—Hubert Osterman, Gerald Slight, Robert Loza, Lois Thill, Martha Ann Haney, Marilyn Flynn.

—Photo by Joe Hinojos

Doreen Turnbull, Nancy Owen, Carolyn Maloney, Sharon Muench, Raymond Lorenzini, Jacqueline Weber, Linda Podliska, Kathleen Perkins.

ROW 6—Paul Lanctot, Roland Brennan, Claire Pesek, Noreen Fox, Patricia Sweeney, Agnes Mary LuVisi, Constance Perkins, William Burns, John Clark, Lawrence Twedell, Robert Feters.

ROW 7—Michael McCroskey, Edward Kinney, Susan Sauter, Wanda Montgomery, Teresa Langhoff, Eve Ann Eisler, Linda Loza, Neva Clarke, Kathleen Fitzgerald, Sharon Pound, Robert Hawkins.

ROW 8—Michael Woods, Dennis Pesek, Mahlon Kinney, June Podliska, Richard Bisetti, Walter Dedrick, Robert Slight, Roland Brandt, David Veiga, Preston Feters, Francis LuVisi, Robert Kinney, Donald Osterman.

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DECEMBER 10, 1927

Names in directory: Dr. Gustave Rihard, piano; Oscar Rasbach, piano; Laura Cadmus, voice; Ella Shepard Bush, minatures; Jessie Ward, landscape; R. M. Finlayson, architect.

City will seek county aid in

connection with the widening and improving of Central Ave. from Santa Anita Drive to Colorado street.

The Eastern Star will have a public installation of officers. Miss Eleanor Bayne is worthy Matron.

Norway has been selected for the New Year's Day float theme by Mrs. Ralph Stewart and Mrs. May Sturthal. Mrs. J. Milton Steinberger will assist in arrangements. An early Viking boat will be worked out.

Gordon McMillan had a narrow escape when he attempted to arrest Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Tennant, Woodland Drive. The house was dark, but knowing there were people inside, McMillan forced the door and was faced by Mrs. Tennant, revolver in hand. She pulled the trigger but a faulty cartridge failed to explode and that may have been all that saved McMillan's life.

Fire hazard great owing to lack of rain.

Tom Tarwater thrown from auto when it struck a stone

wall on Central when he lost control because of a heart attack.

Building permits for the month \$2,000, with \$281,000 for the year.

Rev. Wm. Duncan Ogg new pastor of Bethany church.

Commander R. R. Moreland in charge of Legion dance New Year's day.

Converse L. Twycross elected to head Sierra Madre Lodge, F. & A. M.

City Engineer O. A. Gierlich told Kiwanis club about his trip to Hawaii.

New Ford on display at J. Milton Steinberger's garage draws crowds.

Kenneth Hathaway, son of Mrs. Ralph Criswell, killed by an explosion of accumulated gas in kitchen of house where he went to paper a room.

City Manager Al Myers is offered a rubbish disposal plant for \$7,460.

Mrs. Mary Wammock is stricken with jungle fever in Borneo.

Popular Mail Carrier Bill Jenkins' auto turned over three times and Bill came up smiling.

Henry Olsen celebrates 50 years in the shoe business.

Sierra Madre dates from Kramer's date packing house on N. Mountain Trail were taken by Congressman Chas. Kramer to be presented to President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

A census taken recently shows a gain of 1050 in seven years. The figures were 2100 in 1920, 3550 in 1930 and 4600 in 1937.

Volunteer workers are accomplishing wonders cleaning up the cemetery. A squad of firemen and Legionnaires took up the work started by 40 public spirited citizens.

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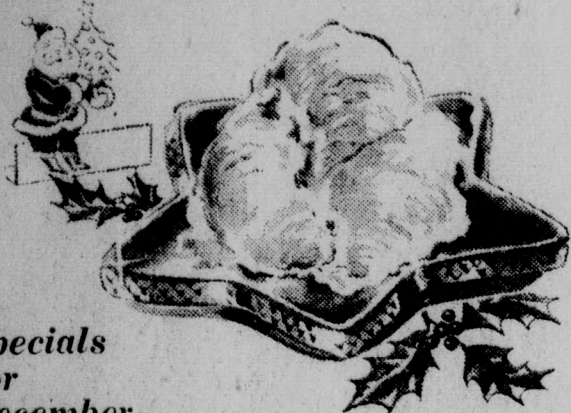
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## Politics Interfered With Naming of City Streets

BY REV. ARTHUR O. PRITCHARD

(Editor's Note: This is the second chapter of Rev. A. O. Pritchard's story on the naming of early Sierra Madre's streets.)

A potent influence in giving unity to the names of Sierra Madre's streets was the coming of the Pacific Electric Railway. Before that day Sunnyside had two names, Lima was called Markham Avenue north of the then Central avenue in honor of Governor Markham, while south of Central avenue it was called Prospect.

Hermosa avenue was called Wildon north of Central, and Hermosa, south of Central.

The railroad company deposited freight at the various corners, and had a switch at the corner of Markham. Owing to the confusion of designating corners, the railroad company decided to name the streets, and give them all the names of Spanish fruits. One of these was the Spanish for prunes. The

people objected to the names, but they saw the reasonableness of having a single name both north and south. Accordingly, Sunnyside was adopted for that street. Hermosa took the name of Wildon on the north, and retained it on the south. But it was not easy with Markham. Being of a different political party, the owner abutting the south end of the street refused to allow the name of a Republican governor to be applied to his street. Being a strong Republican, the owner to the north refused to change, hence the Pacific Electric name of Lima was adopted by both sections, and we have this name to remind us of this historical incident.

"HAPPINESS AVENUE" The land which comprises the northeast section of Sierra Madre, the tract north of Central beginning about opposite where Sierra Place comes into the present East Sierra Madre Blvd. The street running to the north

was named Mountain Trail, because it led to the trail, and I think it is one of the most satisfactory names we have; Canyon was so named because it led to the Canyon, and when the northern section is properly developed and the streets rightly paved we shall have direct access to the Canyon, which is very much needed.

### ORNAMENTED A BOULEVARD

The street to the west of the cemetery Mr. Carter called Coburn. It was an old family name, his own initial "C" stood for Coburn. I am pleased to see that his planning commission approved that name and from now on that it will be so designated. The names running east and west were taken over from the already existing streets.

In 1887 the Pixley Tract was developed. This lay south of Central along Mountain Trail. The cross streets running east and west were called Arlington and Lowell. Arlington was never opened. Lowell is little known among the people of Sierra Madre, but it will soon be opened through the Yerxa Tract to Baldwin. Later this tract was sold as a unit, and re-subdivided, the new owners giving the names of San Gabriel and Santa Anita to the two courts.

In passing, it might be well for us to think of some of the prominent streets outside of the city limits. Grand View and Central stopped at the city limits. The double drive was opened by E. J. Baldwin about the time Sierra Madre was started

in 1882. He early planted the eucalyptus trees which are such an ornament to the boulevard. W. S. Andrews thought that Baldwin also planted the eucalyptus trees on Baldwin, but it is doubtful.

### IN THE BOOM DAYS

The matter of the Foothill boulevard extension is interesting. As I stated in the early part of this paper, the road from Pasadena led through the fields along what is now Orange Grove avenue to a point near our city limits, and then diagonally southwest toward Monrovia. When Arcadia was incorporated, the Foothill boulevard was put through on substantially its present lines, but the city of Arcadia did not wish to assume the responsibility of this road and so in order to keep it a county road, a strip one-fourth of a mile on each side of the boulevard was excluded from the city limits, and so remains to this day.

In the boom days of 1886 and 1887 many tracts were laid out and names given to streets which were never opened and dedicated. Thus Oak and Park were streets planned east of Sunnyside, north of Highland. Later this tract was sold to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lawless as a unit and no streets were run. Concord was a street planned to go across the Yerxa property but never opened. In 1887 when

the Pixley Tract was opened, Mountain Trail was planned to run south to Live Oak. The section below Lowell was not developed, but the city dedicated a strip 30 feet wide and today there is a right-of-way there. Sometime it will be put through as a street.

### MICHILLINDA A MISTAKE

Within the past few years the necessity of planning our cities and countries on a large scale has become evident. The automobile is requiring a system of boulevards which will go directly to various points and be clearly labeled so that once the driver starts on a road, he may have some idea where he is going. Examples are the Foothill Boulevard along the bases of the Sierra Madre range; Valley Boulevard up the middle of the San Gabriel Valley; Huntington Boulevard through the famous Huntington property, and particularly to the Huntington Library, and naturally, therefore, there should be a Sierra Madre Boulevard.

But such improvements and necessities bring their corresponding drawbacks. Central avenue has gone, but when the change serves no purpose, why make it? Michillinda means nothing except that somewhere some immigrants from Michigan, Illinois and Indiana settled in a section of the valley and named their street with a barbarous title, in token of the fact. Why should this name be continued into a section where there is no connection with the original settlers and where name means nothing? Doctor Barlow wanted such a name as Mount Wilson Boulevard and certainly that would have dignity and meaning.

May it be in the future that we give consideration to the names that they may preserve historic significance, geographical meaning, and a respect for the English or Spanish language.

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1 C. top milk or cream  
1/2 C. shredded, cooked chicken  
Salt and pepper  
Melt butter in top of double boiler over direct heat. Then stir in flour. Add chicken broth and milk, and cook over boiling water while stirring, until smooth and thickened. Add chicken, and stir until blended. Add salt and pepper to taste. Four to six servings.

### FRENCH ONION SOUP

6 medium-sized onions, sliced  
4 Tbsp. butter  
1 tsp. pepper  
5 C. bouillon, or water and 6 bouillon cubes  
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce  
Salt to taste  
6 slices French bread, toasted and buttered

Grated Parmesan cheese  
Cook onions gently in butter until golden, sprinkling with pepper while cooking. Add bouillon, Worcestershire and salt if necessary, cover and simmer 20 to 30 minutes, until onions are very tender. Pour into a large casserole, float the slices of toast on top, sprinkle them thickly with cheese. Bake in a hot oven (450° F.) about 10 minutes, until cheese browns slightly. Four to six servings.

### WATERCRESS AND POTATO SOUP

3 C. diced potatoes  
1 Tbsp. chopped onion  
1 tsp. salt  
2 C. water  
3 C. milk  
2 Tbsp. butter  
2 C. watercress, finely chopped

Combine potatoes, onion, salt and water in saucepan. Cover and cook until potatoes are tender. Do not drain. Press through sieve. Heat milk, butter, watercress and potato mixture in double boiler, stirring occasionally. Season.

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What with the nip (more like a good-sized bite) in the morning air, it seemed a reasonable idea to go down to Gardena in Los Angeles County and hold the paw of "Silver Sable," grand champion mink of the United States.

A mink is a cousin to the weasel. It is carnivorous. It shrieks like a bat'shee and ends up with a whistle. A mink bites. After learning those elementary lessons it appeared expedient to stand behind, Almand Croft, co-owner of the largest fur farm in California, and watch him grade prime-pelted Yukon minks for breeding. In 30 little wire cages with hanging handles were 30 mad minks, each incensed at being routed from its run, each shrieking and whistling and turning ternaly in its cage, lithe as a snake.

Patiently, Mr. Croft held them to the sunlight (he can grade properly only between 9 a. m. and 2 p. m.—after that the red-dish glow in the sun alters true color). Softly he spoke to each mink.

"Quiet!" But they paid him no mind, their little black whiskers bristled, their beady eyes glistened and they shrieked until they blew bubbles down over their cream-colored chins.

Finally the grading was completed and the newly-matched pairs were carried off to runs to settle down and raise happy families of small minks which, incidentally, are called kits.

Then Mr. Croft brought out "Silver Sable," just back from Salt Lake City where she took the grand championship as a mutation mink in a show that included 850 minks from all over the country.

She is unbelievable. In the first place she is gentle because she has been shipped around to so many shows that she has learned to accept her public.

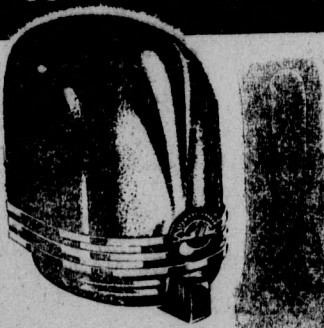
Second, she is two-toned. Her guard hairs are the deep glossy brown of a Yukon mink—her body fur is pale delicate blue. Yes, blue.

This startling effect, however, is not her sole merit—her chief value to her owner is what can be produced from her. And so Mr. Croft went back to the runs and brought out a Platinum, product of breeding from a Silver Sable type mink. Platinum pelts once sold at \$256 apiece. Now they have steadied off to over \$50. It takes 70 pelts to make a coat. Any orders?

Mr. Croft attempted to explain mink genetics. If you breed this to that you get two of this and two of that. Then you breed one of these to one of those—but no matter how they are arrived at, these minks are exquisite creatures.

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"Breath of Spring" Platinum has a pale blue cast to its fur. Black Cross is a white mink with black guard hairs that run down the back and across the shoulders in a perfect cross. Fastel is a delicate, almost cocoa, brown. And then there's a pure white mink.

The theory that a mink won't grow a prime pelt anywhere but in the frigid North was exploded by owner Croft. He gives hereditarily a long lead over environment, believing that a mink's ancestors have more to do with his fur coat than his climate.

Humidity is an important factor—30 per cent and over is favorable, below that tends to dry and roughen a coat. He has 1300, heavily-furred minks to prove his point and nobody, at least in this column, to argue with him.

Inside a long shed where most of his fine animals are kept, there are hundreds of wire runs, raised from the ground, each containing a little peak-roofed house with a round opening.

But there's nothing there. Just silence—until a sudden turn reveals that each round opening frames a face. Row upon row, as far as you can see—little pointed whiskered faces, bright head eyes—silent—curious. Minks.

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ment. Because of the modesty of the members themselves, there has not been much ado about such an achievement. Joe Swanson, who is the keeper of the Records and Seals, very quietly, informed the meeting, that he was in possession of two more twenty year badges to be presented, one to himself, and one to Gordon (Chief of Police) McMillan. Both had reached the 20 year service as fire-fighters in Sierra Madre. Without any preparation or practice, Chief Jim was called upon to do the presentation job. Jim claims it was not sufficient. More should have been done about it. Cliff Ward has taken over his share of the job. The first thing he did was send Joe and Mac to a photographer for him to get a near likeness. You may look elsewhere among the pages of OUR PAPER and possibly recognize these famous individuals. The photographer is also a fine retoucher, so it's possible that we will not be too scared at the prints. 'Twas a very rainy evening when our heroes wormed their way into the picture taker's booth. With great patience, the artist twisted and worked in order to get the boys to loosen up their necks and smile. When the bright lights hit the hardy countenance of our Secretary he was sober as the mother of a dying calf at a bull fight. The cameraman danced, giggled, made faces, told jokes, read a book, and stood on his head. He was as funny as Joe Grippi collecting fines at a fire-fighters' meeting. Still he could

not promote a smile on the map of our great Secretary. Giving up, as a last resort, he called upon Jim Heasley to enter the cave to ask Joe if he could smile. When Jim asked Joe if he would have a drink on the house, a smile appeared and the camera shutter opened and we are hoping. Not quite, but nearly as much difficulty was the experience of the photographer when he attempted to get our ruddy faced Police Chief to smile. He, too has not appeared before a camera too often and his nature is not of the show people type. He DID smile tho' when the director alluded to his very pretty hair. (I tho' all the time the poor guy was bald.) If the pictures turned out sufficiently good, they are in this paper somewhere, and if not we'll have to take the boys to the picture house again. We are still hoping.

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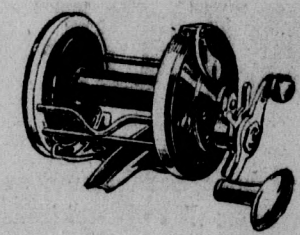
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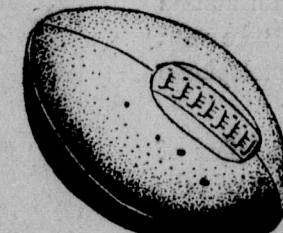
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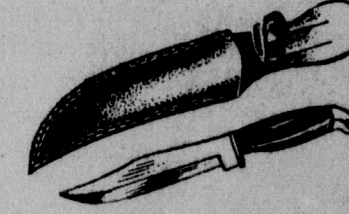
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## POLICE BLOTTER

If at times you read the BLOTTER and you think it ain't what other, I suggest you tell my dotter, of which, I ain't yet gotter, and perhaps if once I cotter she would tell you what I totter. (Or maybe she would tell you HOW I totter.) — Well, well, well — here we have to start off with a report of malicious mischief. Boys taking the caps off water meters. And it's so darn near Christmas, too. — "Girls screaming in a car!" Officer Rhodes was on the road in short order. Nothing serious, as far as could be learned. — A duck, out for a stroll, wandered into the yard of Mr. Young along Camillo street. Perhaps the duck was ducking the wrath of his old lady and in search of a dog house. Owner may contact Mr. Young. — Right next to last report, we have another stray duck, this time at the home of Mrs. Irish, along Sierra Madre Boulevard. Mrs. Irish said that he acted as though he owned the place. We now think that the one on Camillo street might have been the timid one evading the S. M. Blvd. one. That's duck soup. — A youth served with a warrant on reckless driving charge. The circular skid marks at some of our intersections would indicate that some driver must be reckless or a dampfool.

Our officers are making every effort to prevent accidents. Folks are stopped and asked to obey the rules. Asked to make the boulevard stops. Asked not to turn around in the street near the business district. To look very carefully before backing from the curb. There is really no excuse if you violate the law. IT'S YOUR FAULT! Mistakes will happen—so will accidents, if it happens to be your misfortune to be caught going thru a Boulevard Stop sign no one is to blame but yourself. Let's PLAY SAFE.

Dog run over by car. . . Art Udell checks the lights that are out along the streets. . . "Hammering and Pounding." They are as near alike as innocence and ignorance. Anyway, sound noise at 10:00 p. m., didn't sound like harps. . . Loose horse. . . War-

## "A CHILD IS BORN" PRESENTED SUNDAY AT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Members of the Congregational Church will present a broadcast of "A Child Is Born," by Stephen Vincent Benet, Sunday evening, December 14 at 7:30 P. M. The story tells of troubled times during the Nativity of Christ, and is not a pageant but a collective reading. Background music will be provided by the Church Choir directed by Kenneth Bush.

Production and direction is by Virginia Timberlake, sound effects by George Bouvier, and prompter is Marjorie Cordry. Members of the cast include: Harold Higgins, Jack Butler, Ralph Hurwit, Harold Difley and Dolly and Ducky Dimit. All interested are welcome.

ren Craig of 610 W. Alegria reported that a white rabbit strolled (hopped) into his yard. Because it is so far from Easter, he doesn't expect it to lay eggs very soon. He thinks that he will keep it until the owner calls for it. Or he may keep it until Easter.

An elderly lady from the Canyon District wandered far from her home. Lost, she accepted a ride with a friendly Sierra Madre resident, who brought her to the police station. The bewildered old lady thought that she was in New York, her former home. Her home and son were soon located. . . Paul Carter lost a red hand truck from his truck. He would appreciate very much the return of this labor saving instrument. . . A lady driving without a license had the sad misfortune to step from her car without setting the brakes sufficiently. The car, with children inside, started down the grade. Chief McMillan was at hand and saved the day. She was cited for failing to set the brakes and for driving without an operator's license. She had never had one. . . Suspicious men loitering along Sierra Madre Blvd., are soon dispersed by old sage Embree. . . Mrs. Pratt of 517 W. Highland, found a new cushion, apparently from a davenport, chair or sopin'. . . A runaway car rammed into a tree at the curb along S. Mt. Trail Avenue. Owner could not be found immediately. . . The doctor must have straightened matters. The warrants have been returned. . . RAIN! RAIN! RAIN! Welcome, but is the cause of many calls to the police station. Phones out, lights out, trees down and so on and so on. . . SNOW! Snow reported at Mt. Wilson. Asked to warn folks to stay down. Roads are dangerous until cleared. . . Boy hit by a "Hit and Run" driver. . . Rains cause rocks to fall from hillsides to streets. Be careful. . . Strange boy in town called the police to give him aid. His girl friend had fainted. Dr. Jacobs responded immediately. . . Traffic hazard proved to be in Arcadia territory. . . The "Happy Family" was not so happy. A call came for the coppers. . . A hesitating STOP at a posted Boulevard intersection is NOT a STOP. If you are cited for failure to stop, to say that you shifted gears, is no defense. Read the book. It says you shall

STOP before entering the cross-walk on the near side of the intersection, or, if none, then at the limit line when marked, otherwise before entering such highway or intersection. It doesn't say a word about how slow you go thru, it says that you should STOP. Don't cry if you are cited. You really must know better.

A dog allowed to run loose, ran too far away from home. When he chased a little girl to her own door, the dog was in trouble. Owner was contacted and 'twas found that the dog wasn't licensed. 'Tis now. . . Too much to drink, even tho in his own home got a local man in trouble. In the presence of children. This is an offense, especially if the wife files a complaint. Man was given a few days to think the matter over before Judge Eaton imposed sentence. Man is free on his O. R. (own recognition). . . When a car parked at the north end of Auburn Avenue in the wee hour of the morning issued sounds of voices sufficient to awaken sleepers far off, a resident called the cops. Big Bill Chunn responded and removed "a couple of lovers" from their rendezvous of affection by leaving with them the word of truth. "It's time for you'se to be home in bed, and where are your parents?" . . . Bill has the right idea. So many young folks are permitted by the parents to stay out until such goofy hours of the night, that it is really little wonder that we are not affected with more delinquency than we already are. As an example of the danger, it might be well to inform parents that most of the burglaries now committed are by youths who should still be under the guidance of parents. (Maybe parents who enjoy late hours need a little attention.) . . . Besides being found guilty of reckless driving in Sierra Madre, one of our local boys is served a warrant from Los Angeles for failing to stop at a marked, boulevard.

Drive Carefully, Save A Life!  
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## Church Announcements

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Sunday, 6:30, 8 and 11 a. m. Evening  
devotions Tuesday at 7:30.

### Church of Ascension

Episcopal.  
Cor. N. Baldwin & Laurel Ave.  
Rev. Harley G. Smith, Jr., Rector.  
Rev. A. G. H. Bode, Rector Emeritus.

### SUNDAYS

8:00 A. M.—Holy Eucharist (fourth  
Sundays Corporate Communion  
and breakfast)  
9:30 A. M.—Family Eucharist and  
Church School with classes for all.  
11:00 A. M.—Choral Eucharist and  
sermon First Sundays of the month  
10:45 A. M. morning prayer,  
meditation and Holy Communion.  
12:15 A. M.—Holy Baptism.

### WEEK DAYS

Holy Eucharist Monday and Tuesdays at  
8:00 A. M.; Wednesdays and Fri-  
days at 9:00 A. M. and Thurs-  
days 6:30 and 10:00 A. M.  
Third Thursdays, 7:45 P. M.  
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament  
and C.B.S. Devotions.  
Parochial School—North Baldwin, Mrs.  
Helen H. Elliott, Principal.

### Bethany

(The Round Stone Church).  
Clarence R. Nida, Pastor.  
Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Bible Classes for all  
ages, 11:00 a. m., Morning Worship.  
6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor 7:30  
p. m., Evening Meeting. Prayer meeting  
every Wednesday night at 7:30.

### Church of the Nazarene

191 West Sierra Madre Boulevard.  
J. W. Henry, Pastor.  
Sunday morning Bible School, 9:30.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Young People's service, 6:30 p. m. 7:30  
p. m. Evangelistic Service.  
Mid-week prayer meeting, 7:30 Wednesday.

### Congregational Church

Sierra Madre Blvd. at Hermosa.  
Carl Smith, Minister.  
SUNDAY SERVICE  
9:30 a. m., Church School.  
11 a. m., Morning Worship.  
6:30 p. m., Chimes from the Singing  
Tower.  
6:30 p. m., Pilgrims Fellowship.  
7:30 p. m., Young Adult Fellowship.

### First Baptist Church of Sierra Madre

Floyd Piper, Pastor.  
Sunday School—9:30 A. M.  
Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.  
Evening Worship—7:30 P. M.  
(Services at Woman's Clubhouse.)

### First Church of Christ, Scientist of Sierra Madre, Calif.

186 West Highland Avenue.  
Invites you to its services.  
Sunday Service—11:00 A. M.  
Sunday School, for pupils up to the age  
of 20—9:30 A. M.  
Wed. Testimonial Meetings—8:00 P. M.  
The reading room at 22 north Baldwin  
Ave., is open daily except Sunday and  
holidays from 10:00 A. M. to 3:00 P. M.

### PLANNING COMMISSION

(Continued from page 1)  
old city areas degenerate into  
slums. Already such areas are  
in the making here.

Sierra Madre has no room to  
grow by taking in new territory.  
If it cannot maintain and  
improve the property values  
within the city annexation to  
another city will be forced upon  
us. A few days ago Mayor Bow-  
ron was quoted as saying that  
the slum areas of Los Angeles  
pay only six percent of the  
city's taxes but absorb 45 per-  
cent of the city's service costs.

For older areas, therefore, one  
of two things can be done. El-  
ther recognize the facts of de-  
cay, permit many houses to be  
built on as little land as pos-  
sible and allow them to be used  
in any way the owner or tenant  
chooses, thereby yielding a high  
monetary return to the owner;  
or so safeguard the owner  
against decay that as time goes  
on he will either modernize his  
house or tear it down and build  
a new one. To do this the land  
must be kept valuable. It must  
be kept as a desirable place on  
which to build and maintain  
a home. The values must not be  
permitted to slide over into a  
profusion of cheap rentals,  
for tax purposes, hence valu-  
able to the owner because he  
has small expense for taxes and  
upkeep.

Partial protection for the man  
who has put his money into the  
development of his home and  
grounds can be given thru the  
Zoning Act by limiting use and  
size of homestead, but the Zon-  
ing Act cannot stop the further  
subdivision of large lots, nor  
can it require conformity to the  
high standards of a neighboring  
subdivision, from the smart man  
who knows how to get around  
laws.

Thru the Subdivision Act the  
Planning Commission would like  
to remove the temptation to  
quick and easy profits and in-  
stead protect and encourage the  
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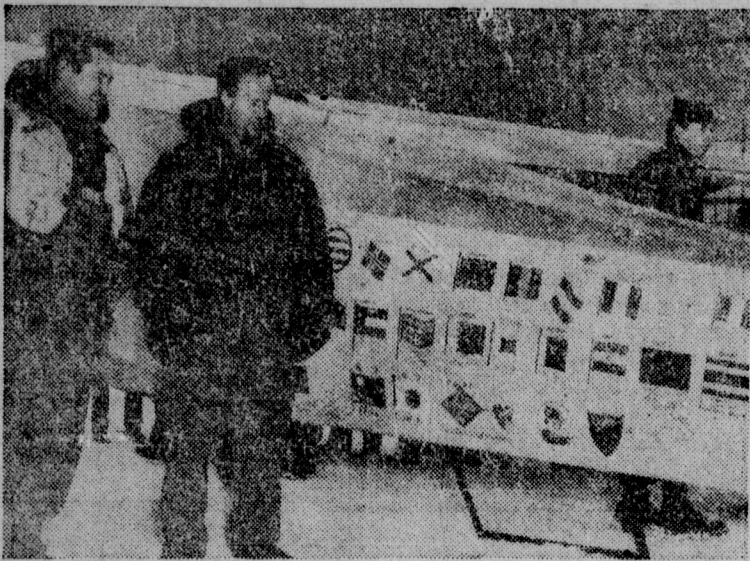
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**ROUND-TRIPPERS COME HOME** . . . George Truman (left) and Clifford Evans, now safely back in the U. S., stand beside one of their flag-bedecked Piper Cubs shortly after landing at Elmendorf field in Anchorage, Alaska, on their round-the-world flight. Flags were painted on each plane for every nation they crossed during the leisurely global jaunt which they began last August.



**FLEES RED SLAVE CAMP** . . . Irma Mohaupt, native of Cincinnati, Ohio, is back in U. S. after three years in a Russian slave labor camp in the Ukraine. She finally escaped into the American zone in Germany.

## SANTA ANITA RACES OPEN DEC. 27



**Bronze Statue of Illustrious Seabiscuit Has Place of Honor in Scenic Setting**

Beautiful Santa Anita Park, in its historic and scenic setting on Lucky Baldwin's old rancho in Arcadia, has everything in readiness to open its 11th and biggest racing season on Saturday, Dec. 27.

Vying in interest with the \$100,000-guaranteed Santa Anita Handicap on Feb. 28, the new \$100,000-added Santa Anita Maturity on Jan. 31, the \$100,000-added Santa Anita Derby on March 6 and nine other stakes, each \$50,000, on Saturdays and holidays will be the bronze, life-sized statue of Seabiscuit. Since the death of this popular champion last May, this landmark in the paddock provides increased sentiment.

The brilliant mid-winter display of flowers, now growing and blooming, will also attract much attention of visitors, many from out-of-state. Spectator facilities in the infield are extended and enlarged this season.

The opening California Breeders' Championship Stakes for a record purse of more than \$80,000, will bring to the post the State's leading two-year-olds. The \$50,000 San Carlos will be the big New Year Day's attraction. There will be racing five days a week, Tuesdays through Saturdays, starting at 1:00 p.m. for the winter season through March 6, except for the one dark Tuesday, Jan. 6.



**MARTIN BALKS TAX CUT** . . . All hope for passage of an income tax reduction bill during the special session of congress died when Rep. Harold Knutson (Rep., Minn.), left, conceded defeat after Speaker of the House Joseph W. Martin (Rep., Mass.) opposed presenting the bill at this time.



**IDENTICAL TWINS, IDENTICAL RECORDS** . . . John (left) and Louie Buchholz, identical twins of Defiance, Ohio, ended the senior softball league season in their town with identical batting averages of .385. They were at bat 78 times each, scored 27 runs apiece and got 30 hits each. Louie is catcher and John plays outfield for one of the local teams. With their records, they could qualify to play with Brooklyn.

## High School Style



Practically perfect for the high school girl is the longer jacket, tiny collar shown above as pictured in the August issue of Good Housekeeping magazine.



**IRONWOMAN** . . . Frankie Groves, 16, Summit, Tex., high school junior, played her first honest-to-gosh football game against the Groom, Tex., team. The other 21 players were boys but Tackle Frankie did fine.



**DREAM DRESS**—a dream of a dress to dance in at a freshman prom is worn by NBC's Mary Lou Harrington of "One Man's Family." Of pale blue tulle over a hooped underskirt, the bouffant skirt is caught up with pink camellias. Designed by Picture Modes.



**WAR BRIDEGROOM** . . . Wilhelm Mueller of Frankfurt, Germany, first German war bridegroom-to-be to reach the U. S., is welcomed at airport by his intended bride, Thelma Domertan of Taunton, Mass.



**ONE MAN'S BEST FRIEND** . . . Purchased 10 years ago as a 25-cent souvenir, this personable alligator, still a baby of 82 pounds, has won the heart of his master, Carl E. King of Chicago, with his gentle, mature habits.



**OTELLO**—Ramon Vinay, tenor, will sing the title role in Tosca's NBC Symphony performance of Verdi's "Otello," Saturdays, Dec. 6 and 13. He also will sing the role at the opening of La Opera in Milan.



**EMPHASIS ON FALL**—Two frocks that can be worn with accessories now and later under fur coats are these modeled by NBC's Anita Gordon vocalist on the Charlie McCarthy show. The first is a classic in a washable wool and rayon fabric called Kohinor. DeDe Johnson design. The striped wool dress left, designed by Lou Van Roy has triangle flap pockets to accentuate the hip line look, and novel belt to minimize the waist.



**SUITED**—A one button, shawl collar suit in banana yellow is Lucille Wall's choice for fall. With it Miss Wall, who plays the title role in NBC's "Portia Faces Life," wears a silver fox scarf.



**UNITED NATIONS FASHIONS**—To be surrounded by hats is every woman's dream and NBC's lovely Mary Shipp is in that position. She is shown wearing a modified version of an East Indian wedding hat, and each of the other hats, all designed by Minty, are in the tradition of one of the countries of the United Nations. The hats were designed for United Nations Week, which will be held nationally Sept. 14 to 20.



**SIGHT FOR SORE EYES** . . . Now the people booming Gen. Dwight Eisenhower for president in 1953 are trying to give the general that new look. Ray Comiskey of New York wears the sentiment on her sunglasses.



**WHAT, NO HAM?** . . . Pre-performance ritual of soprano Astrid Varnay, youthful queen of the Metropolitan Opera's Wagnerian section, is to gulp a raw egg straight from the shell as a vocal tonic. Gives her egg-shaped tones.

### VETERAN'S QUIZ on BUSINESS LOANS

**Q. Can a veteran get a GI business loan to buy a pleasure car or furniture for his home?**

A. No. The loan must be used by the veteran for business purposes only.

**Q. How is a business loan obtained by a veteran?**

A. As in the case of home loans, he first must find a bank or other private lender willing to advance him the money.

**Q. Must the veteran be experienced in the line of business he proposes to enter?**

A. Experience is an important element in the success of almost any line of business. In most forms of endeavor its presence at least to some degree is practically essential to success.

**Q. Can the veteran get a guaranteed loan for any type of business?**

A. If the lender is willing, the loan may be used for practically any legitimate business purpose.

**Q. What portion of a business loan will the VA guarantee?**

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